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Dear Sir:

We, Jack E. Lohman and Timothy L. Lohman, declare and say that:

- 1. We the named inventors of the invention claimed in the above-listed patent application.
- Jack E. Lohman is also a named inventor in U.S. Patent No. 6,701,183 2. ('183 Patent) of which the above-listed patent application is a continuation-in-part.
- The development of the invention claimed in the above-listed 3. application was related to the development that yielded the invention claimed in the '183 Patent.
- The '183 Patent is a publication disclosing, at least in part, Jack E. Lohman's own work. More specifically, the sections of the '183 Patent cited to support a rejection under §102(e) in the above-listed application constitute a publication disclosing Jack E. Lohman's own work.
- We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own 5. knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to me to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code

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